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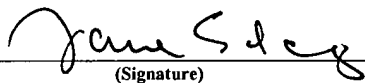
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Extension of Time

Applicants hereby request an extension of time for One (1) month from the original due date of November 29, 2003 to extend the time for reply to December 29, 2003. The required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) of \$110.00 is submitted herewith in an express request to charge said fees to Deposit Account No. 10-0750 (Docket LFS-

123/MM). (Form PTO/SB/17 Fee Transmittal is attached in duplicate). The Commissioner is authorized to charge any deficiencies, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 10-0750.

In response to the Office Action mailed August 29, 2003, please enter the following amendment and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.